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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SACRAMENTO DIVISION

CHRISTOPHER KOHLS,
Plaintiff,
v.
ROBERT A. BONTA, et al.,
Defendants.

Case No. 2:24-cv-02527-JAM-CKD

ORDER TO CONSOLIDATE

Judge: John A. Mendez

THE BABYLON BEE, LLC, et al.,
Plaintiffs,
v.
ROBERT A. BONTA, et al.,
Defendants.

Case No. 2:24-cv-02787-JAM-CKD

RUMBLE, INC., et al.,
Plaintiffs,
v.
ROBERT A. BONTA, et al.,
Defendants.

Case No. 2:24-cv-03315-JAM-CKD

X CORP.,
Plaintiff,
v.
ROBERT A. BONTA, et al.,
Defendants.

Case No. 2:24-cv-03162-JAM-CKD

ORDER TO CONSOLIDATE

Before the Court is Plaintiffs Christopher Kohls, The Babylon Bee, LLC, Kelly Chang Rickert, Rumble Inc., Rumble Canada Inc., X Corp., and Defendants Rob Bonta and Shirley N. Weber's joint stipulation to consolidate *Kohls v. Bonta*, No. 2:24-cv-02527-JAM-CKD, with *Rumble, Inc. v. Bonta*, No. 2:24-cv-03315-JAM-CKD, and *X Corp. v. Bonta*, No. 2:24-cv-03162-JAM-CKD. Good cause appearing, the Court makes the following orders:

1. Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 42, the actions denominated as *Kohls v. Bonta, et al.*, No. 2:24-cv-02527-JAM-CKD, *Rumble, Inc. v. Bonta*, No. 2:24-cv-03315-JAM-CKD, and *X Corp. v. Bonta*, No. 2:24-cv-03162-JAM-CKD are hereby **CONSOLIDATED** for all purposes;

2. Case No. 2:24-cv-02527-JAM-CKD is designated as the "master file;"

3. The Clerk of the Court is **DIRECTED** to add all complaints and answers filed in Case Nos. 2:24-cv-03315-JAM-CKD and 2:24-cv-03162-JAM-CKD to the master file;

4. The Clerk of the Court is **DIRECTED** to **ADMINISTRATIVELY CLOSE** Case Nos. 2:24-cv-03315-JAM-CKD and 2:24-cv-03162-JAM-CKD; and

5. The parties are **DIRECTED** to file all future pleadings, motions, and other filings ONLY in Case No. 2:24-cv-02527-JAM-CKD.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 26, 2024

/s/ John A. Mendez

THE HONORABLE JOHN A. MENDEZ

SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE